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Transmitted herewith is an amendment to the above-identified application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

a verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 is enclosed.

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Sir:

## AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO OCTOBER 7, 1999 OFFICE ACTION AND PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

This Amendment is submitted in response to the October 7, 1999 Office Action which was issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connection with the above-identified in application. A reply to the October 7, 1999 Office Action was originally due January 7, 2000. Applicants hereby request a three-month extension of time. The fee for a three-month extension of time is \$435.00 (FOUR HUNDRED AND THIRTY FIVE DOLLARS) for a small entity. A check including this amount is enclosed. Applicants have previously established small entity Therefore, a response is now due April 7, 2000. status. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

Please amend the subject application as follows:

## In the specification:

On page 20, line 35, after "V-5'" insert -- (SEQ ID NO:1) --.

On page 21, line 7, after "V-5'" insert -- (SEQ ID NO:2)--.

On page 21, \( \text{ine 15, after "A-5'" insert --(SEQ ID NO:3)--.} \)

On page 21, line 28, after "C-5'" insert --(SEQ ID NO:4)--.

On page 63, line 21, delete "DeToxi-gel" and substitute therefor